

CALLING ALL HUNGER ADVOCATES

ARIZONA HUNGER POLICY RETREAT



AZ HUNGER POLICY RETREAT AT SPIRIT IN THE DESERT

Are you interested in working to alleviate hunger in Arizona? Your voice matters!

If you have experience or interest in working with hunger advocates to strategize about plans and policy for the 2023 legislative session, you can make a difference **now!**

All known and interested hunger advocates are gathering for a full-day retreat on August 17 to connect, collaborate, and create a roadmap for hunger policy going forward.

Outcome: The Workgroup envisions an ongoing commitment by the legislature to address the root causes of hunger in Arizona, be they poverty, job instability, food shortages and waste, poor infrastructure, climate change, nutrition quality, race and gender inequities, etc. The Workgroup seeks to build bridges with policymakers through creative partnerships, education on hunger facts and context, and advance messaging for candidates in the 2022 election. United, we have the passion and the power to make a difference.

OBJECTIVES

- Co-create a skeleton policy agenda for the 2023 legislative session
- Develop a roadmap for ongoing collaboration, action, & accountability between partners
- Generously share knowledge to empower inclusive conversation
- Build connections & strengthen relationships

Spirit in the Desert Retreat Center, located in a beautiful and peaceful Arizona desert setting, hosts programs and retreats for participants of all faiths and traditions to experience reconciliation, renewal, healing, and transformation.



WHEN

**Wednesday,
August 17, 2022
8:30a - 5:00p**

WHERE

**Spirit in the Desert
Retreat Center**
7415 E Elbow Bend Road,
Carefree AZ 85377

COST

Free of charge
Out-of-town participants may stay overnight free of charge on Tuesday, August 16

REGISTER ONLINE

<https://spiritinthedesert.org/events/arizona-hunger-policy-retreat/>

or Call 602.509.2595



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